

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.: 10/788,902 Group Art Unit: 3714  
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Title: GAME UPDATE SERVICE IN A SERVICE-ORIENTED GAMING  
NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1), Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 6, 2008, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-31 of the above-identified patent application.

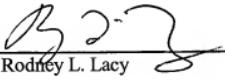
No extension of time is necessary to respond to the Examiner's rejection.

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